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DIPLOMA MILL IN OKLAHOMA BEARS BRUNT OF PROBE

Fake Physicians and Doctors to be Rounded Up in State Cleanup.

MANY IN OKLAHOMA

Fake Machine Operators in State Slated for Glare of Probers.

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 8.—A state-wide cleanup of alleged abuses of the medical profession in Oklahoma was launched today by the state board of medical examiners meeting here today. "Diploma mill" physicians, and doctors who are charged with violation of the national narcotic laws and alleged fakers are to be proceeded against at once, it was announced. A hearing was in progress today before the board to determine whether Dr. L. H. Gordon of Claremore shall be deprived of his state license as a result of charges which have been filed against him by federal authorities alleging illegal sale of narcotics. It was announced that his case is the first of approximately 40 which are to be reviewed. The hearing was executive.

It was also announced at the board headquarters that cases of six "diploma mill" physicians will be investigated.

Attorney General George Short was requested by the board to investigate a machine which members of the board said had been used by alleged physicians throughout the state to effect purported cures of illnesses that were nonexistent.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—President Coolidge regards the sur-tax provisions of the Garner democratic tax program, as disregarding the principle that the government should encourage the investment of capital in business enterprises rather than tax free securities.

The chief executive told visitors today that although he had not made a detailed study or received advice from experts on the Garner program, he believed that the high sur-tax rate proposed would tend to continue the present objectionable practice on the part of capital to invest in such securities as to escape tax payments.

Three Drunks Taken

The police department reported an active session last night and as a result three drunks paid off fines to the usual amount this morning in forfeiture to their misdemeanor. One arrest was also made on a charge of disturbing peace.

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Sues for Voice Balm

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NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Winifred Gaynor, grand niece of the late Mayor Gaynor of New York former alto soloist in the Holy Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church, has brought suit in municipal court for \$175 for alleged breach of contract, charging that her artistic soul had been injured by discord among her fellow singers at the church. The sum represented her salary from December 1 when she was discharged until May, 1924, the terminating date of her contract.

Counsel for the church declared Miss Gaynor interrupted a rehearsal and criticised her fellow-singers, calling the altos a "bunch of cats."

VENIZELOS PLANNING NEW LIFE FOR GREEK RULE

(By the Associated Press)
LONDON, Jan. 8.—Ex-Premier Venizelos of Greece is recovering from the indisposition with which he was seized during the initial session of the new assembly and seems to be planning to become foreign minister in the new cabinet says a dispatch to Reuters from Athens today. It is declared that he has become optimistic regarding the achievements of unity with in the nation satisfied with the conversations he has had so far with opposition leaders.

BRITISH OBJECT TO BOOZE RAIDS

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The Red Lock

A Tale of the Flatwoods

By DAVID ANDERSON
Author of
"The Blue Moon"

Illustrations by IRWIN MYERS

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A thought of the concealed houseboat, with the shapely heelprints on its dusty after deck, crossed him; and assumed a new significance. But one false move and even that would disappear—and they had their eyes on him.

But with all the caution of his woodcraft, Jack Warhope was not a man to plan and scheme. He came of other stock than that. A stroke to the core—when the ripe instant came—and devil take the chips, was his way. A bold thought took shape in his musings—but the ripe instant had not yet come. Another night would bring it, with the banker warned and both of them on guard.

With a grim look on his face he crawled out of the shrubbery, stole back to the path winding along under the dense shadows at the base of Black rock and slipped through the corner of the orchard to his own small cabin.

Pausin in the fallow yard under an old apple tree, just now renewing its youth in the glory of full bloom, he stood for a long time sifting the sounds of the night and frowning back toward the red-roofed cottage.

The moon stole up under the edge of the east and cast a glittering spear that broke against the face of Black Rock. A quiver seemed to thrill over the sleepy world at the bold assault. The geese in the barn-loft honked and clapped their wings, a bullfrog down in the bayou cleared his throat; a soft breeze waked, rustled the leaves of the old apple tree and snowed the man white with blossoms.

He had his hand on the latch—when suddenly there rang out upon the silence of the night, from the direction of the red-roofed cottage, a woman's wild scream, repeated again and again.

He whirled, rigid, striving to distinguish the cry—but all women scream much alike. Next moment he was dashing across the orchard toward the sound—probably the most awesome on earth—a woman's wild cry in the night.

The sound had ceased when he came out of the orchard and a candle was flitting about the sitting-room. He leaped the orchard fence and ran around to the porch. To his surprise the sitting-room door was partly open and he dashed in.

There in his big armchair in the room that served as office, half bent back over the chair arm, his grizzled head lolling down horribly, sprawled the old money-lender—dead.

Texie was crying wildly in the arms of the housekeeper. The preacher had just come from the parlor bedroom and stood stooped and trembling, peering through his huge spectacles in awed silence. But great as his haste in dressing must have been, he had found time to put on the frock coat and high neck stock—demands of custom that he had probably found impossible to deny.

Jack found the dead man still warm. He noticed that his night shirt was torn to shreds at the neck and sleeves, and that his face was scratched and streaked with blood, but there was no wound apparent that could have caused his death.

The room presented every evidence of a struggle. A chair was overturned; the cover on a small stand had been brushed away; the rug was dragged back a foot or two from before the dead banker's writing desk, where, for an instant the woodsman bent a searching eye upon some faint

ADA PAYS EULOGY TO WAR LEADER

Woodrow Wilson's Life Work Praised by Speakers At Memorial Hour

(From Thursday's Daily)
Eulogies falling from the lips of local orators at the Convention Hall yesterday afternoon from the hours of three to four marked the tribute of Ada people to Woodrow Wilson, who was at that hour placed to rest with the great men of all times.

Dealing with the life of the Woodrow Wilson from every angle of his greatness, representatives of the institutions and civic clubs of the city paid tribute to their martyred former president.

An audience which taxed the capacity of the main floor and galleries of the Convention Hall heard the speakers tell of the outstanding characteristics of the great man upon whose shoulder fell the mighty deluge of war.

Scarcely a seat remained vacant when the program, arranged by the Ministerial Alliance of Ada and the civic clubs of the city, swung into fulfillment. The audience

markings that, in the dim candle-light, could barely be traced upon the dusty floor-boards thus laid bare.

The old man's sawed-off shotgun was lying on the floor, where it had probably been wrenches from his hand before he could use it.

Jack had only time to note these particulars when a rabble of people from the village, alarmed by Texie's screams, came running up the yard and stormed into the house. A moment later Jerry Brown, the town marshal, busted in and took charge—and the peaceful cottage passed into the hands of the law.

The house was cleared of all but the preacher, the woodsman and two or three women, a messenger sent to the city for the coroner, and a deputy put on guard at the door pending his arrival.

Seventy years ago the coroner's office was in the saddle, the coroner, then as now, always a physician, usually of the "saddle-bags" type, a race of men staunch and true, who, next to the minister and teacher, did most to nurse the young republic to manhood.

Early the next morning the coroner arrived. After a short consultation with Jerry Brown, he entered the room where the tragedy occurred and began his inquest.

Aside from the disarranged furniture, the torn garment, the scratches on the face, there was little evidence, and no clue whatever to the person or persons with whom the old man had waged his fatal battle in the dark. Not a cent of money, or any article of value had been taken. The safe was still locked, apparently just as it had been left the day before.

Texie testified that she had heard a struggle, and words strained and muffled and indistinct—that she immediately sprang out of bed and ran into the housekeeper's room—that they lighted a candle and hurried downstairs—that there was no one else in the room except her father, and he lay back across the chair arm—

Her voice choked into silence.

"Did you hear anyone running from the room as you came downstairs?" the coroner questioned after a considerate pause.

"I did not."

"Were the windows all down?"

"I think so."

"Were the doors all closed?"

"All but the door of the settin'-room—it was open a little bit."

"Was it closed when you went to bed?"

"I suppose so—father never failed to shut and lock it."

"Was there more than one key to the door?"

"No, only one."

"Where was it kept?"

"Hangin' b'hind the door."

"Marshal," directed the coroner, "will you see if that key is still hangin' there?"

The marshal peeped behind the door.

"Yes, it's thar yit, Yur Honor," he answered, with as much pompos importance as if announcing the discovery of the pivotal clue in the case.

The coroner relaxed his gruff severity long enough to offer the weeping girl a word of kindly sympathy, and then dismissed her.

The housekeeper was next called. Her testimony agreed in every particular with Texie's.

And then came the preacher. In his peering, jerky way, he testified that he was a heavy sleeper—that he had heard nothing till Miss Texie screamed—that he had then hastily thrown on the few articles of dress necessary to make himself presentable before ladies—that he had opened his door and hurried across the parlor, across the sitting room and into the office, where he was horrified to find his dear friend dead, and the room in its present disarray.

"Is it true that you carry a key to the parlor door?"

"It is. Brother Colvin placed it at my disposal the evening I came."

"Where is it?"

"Here."

He drew it forth and held it toward the coroner, who waved it away.

"Did you lock the parlor door last night?"

"I did."

"You're excused."

The coroner looked in his note-book, glanced into the corner of the room where Jack Warhope stood near Texie's chair and motioned with his hand. The woodsman approached the table.

"What do you know of this case?"

In his slow, careful way the woodsman told what he had heard and seen, from the moment of Texie's scream to the arrival of Jerry Brown. "What was you doin' up so late?"

The question probed deep. Things would have happened had he answered it—and they would have happened fast. Back along the wall the preacher straightened a trifle and his eyes tightened behind the huge spectacles.

"I was—studyin'."

Just what the character of his "studies" had been he let fall no word, and fortunately the coroner did not ask. Back along the wall the tighted eyes behind the huge spectacles relaxed.

"Is it true that you carry, and have for some time carried, a key to the kitchen door?"

"Yes, sir."

"Where was that key—las' night?"

"In my pocket."

He drew it out and held it forth; the coroner waved it away; back along the wall the eyes behind the tinted spectacles tightened again.

"It appears from the evidence that you was the only person who could have entered this house las' night without breakin' in."

Texie slowly rose from her chair; her eyes suddenly dry—and wide.

"Your Honor—w'y—that's Jack—

Father trusted him the same as he did me."

The coroner looked toward her; waved his hand. The girl glanced helplessly at the woodsman; sank back into the chair and buried her face in her hands.

Uncle Nick had edged through the crowd and approached the table.

"Doc, Yur Honor, he never done it. He couldn't. His ain't in 'im—n'r the walls of the grave."

Most of the crowd lingered about the cemetery for a time, even after the last solemn rites had been performed, as if slow to realize that a man so prominent, so long a power in the life of the little community, had with such suddenness dropped that prominence and power for the mean and voiceless walls of the grave.

Immediately on the death of the old banker, the preacher had, for the sake of appearances, moved to the parsonage. He had returned from the funeral and had been for some time pacing back and forth, or fidgeting restlessly in his chair, in the cool front room upstairs—the former minister's study—when he was very much surprised to see Jack Warhope ride up on Graylock, dismount, throw the bridle rein over the hitch-rack and come striding up the yard.

He sprung from his chair, opened one of his satchels, snatched out the holster with the ivory-handled revolver sticking in it; hurriedly buckled it on under his vest, where it was concealed by the somber frock coat, and tiptoed back to his chair.

A knock disturbed the sanctimonious quiet of the study door.

"Come in."

The knob turned, with a force and decision that somehow suggested the power of the hand laid upon it, and Jack Warhope entered; carefully closed the door; stood coolly looking the other over.

The preacher slowly rose from his chair; slipped his hand down along the front of his frock coat and loosened it against his side.

The motion was not lost upon the woodsman. His eyes had narrowed to slits in his face; his lips were tightened to a straight hard line. He dropped a quick look at the preacher's feet.

"They ain't another pair o' boot heels in the Flatwoods like them, Mr.—Hopkins."

"The brows of the other lifted in polite surprise."

"I found the print o' them heels on the dusty floor boards there by Pap Simon's desk, where they couldn't a' been made till after the rug was drug back."

The preacher peered at him through his huge spectacles; a subtle premonition of what was coming reached him.

"I may have stepped there when I came out of my room. That was a most distressing scene, Mr. Warhope."

"But the board was scratched where the heel had slipped and dug into it under strain. How come y'u slipped?"

"I knew your father, and I don't believe it has ever been my privilege to meet a nobler man or a finer gentleman."

He turned to Uncle Nick, anxiously fumbling the coonskin cap in his fingers.

"You say you'd be willin' to answer for this boy's honesty with your life?"

"I would that."

"So would I." He turned to the woodsman: "Young man, you're excuse me."

Tense strung bodies relaxed; faces cleared; a murmur swept the crowd—a murmur that, only for the presence of the dead, would have swelled to a cheer. The coroner raised his hand and the crowd grew silent.

After writing a hasty line or two in his worn note-book, the coroner rose in grim severity and rendered his verdict—to the effect that Simon Colvin came to his death from an acute attack of apoplexy, precipitated by struggling with some person, or persons, unknown, who had entered the house probably with intent to rob.

Looking around over the assembled villagers, a man seriously conscious of the trust the state had committed to him, the coroner folded up his note-book, came out from behind the table—and the inquest was over.

The crowd was sent away; the woodsman helped Jerry Brown and the coroner carry the dead man into his room and lay him upon his bed.

The studious pucker around the eyes was fast smoothing out, and the man was breathing fast. His hand was fumbling the lapel of the frock coat and slowly stealing down the side.

"What do you mean? You surely are not accusing me of the murder of my old friend?"

"I mean," rasped the woodsman, his slits of eyes on the hand stealing down the edge of the frock coat, "that night b'fore last I tald in the little park and hear'd what was sale b'ween you and Black Bogus."

Like lightning the creeping hand darted under the frock coat. "But quick as he was, the ivory-handled revolver had not quite got out of the holster when the heavy six-gun of the woodsman leaped up and covered him."

"But first, Parson," came the cold decisive command over the steady barrel.

Hopkins stood just as the gun had

CHAPTER XV

Six-Gun Persuasion.

In the church of which he had long been the chief support the funeral of the dead money-lender was held.

In spite of his grasping and domineering ways the rugged worth of the man, to say nothing of his wealth had made him widely known. Now joined to this was the mystery of his death. People came from far and near, and the church was packed while many were forced to remain outside, grouped about the open door and windows.

The Reverend Caleb Hopkins officiated.

It was the first time the Flatwoods had heard him preach, because of the fact that the day before, though Sun day, the church had remained closed out of respect for its leading member, sleeping his last sleep at the red-roofed cottage.

Standing well back among the silent group at the door, Jack Warhope watched the preacher go through his ordeal. Nerve he must have had, or he never could have carried it through.

Behind the plausibly solemn mask of his face there doubtless raged a terrific tempest, but it did not seem to retard his flow of thought or mar his oratory. Little enough can be said over a dead man, at the best, but that little he so clothed with artistry that the like of it had never been heard in the Flatwoods. Each man writes his own epitaph; Simon Colvin had written his. That was the basis of his remarks. He neither eulogized nor blamed—and in that he showed the sense of a wise man.

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"Your Honor—w'y—that's Jack—

"And now I'll just trouble y'u fr that parlor-door key."

Hopkins scowled; whipped a black look at the steady muzzle of the six-guns; dragged the key out of his pocket and passed it over.

"No, I ain't accusin' you of the

MUTT AND JEFF—It Sounded like a Discourse on Labor Conditions to Jeff

By Bud Fisher



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Legal Notices

STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
Pontotoc County, ss.
IN THE COUNTY COURT IN AND
FOR SAID COUNTY AND STATE
In the matter of the Estate of
Roy L. Wax, deceased, E. T. Pendleton, administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS TO
PRESENT CLAIMS

All persons having claims against Roy L. Wax, deceased, are required to present the same with the necessary vouchers to the undersigned administrator at the office of McKeown & Green, attorneys of Ada, Oklahoma, within four (4) months of the date hereof, or the same will be forever barred.

Done this January 30th, 1924.
McKeown & Green, attorneys for Administrator.

E. T. PENDLETON, Adm'r.
1-31-3twNOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
OF LAND
No. 5842

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of sale issued by the court clerk of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, on the 28th day of January, 1924 in an action wherein Oklahoma Farm Mortgage Company, a corporation, was plaintiff and F. O. Harriss, Mary C. Harriss, his wife and Thomas E. Elliott were defendants, directed me the undersigned sheriff of Pontotoc County commanding me to advertise and sell without appraisement according to law and subject to a \$2,500.00 first mortgage the following lands and tenements, to-wit:

Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and East Half of East Half of the Southeast Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and the South Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-one (31) and South Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Four (4) North, Range Four (4) East of the Indian Meridian in Pontotoc County, Oklahoma:

to satisfy a judgment and decree of foreclosure obtained and made in said court on the 23rd day of July, 1923, in favor of plaintiff and against the defendants F. O. Harriss and Mary C. Harriss, his wife for the sum of \$521.04 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 percent per annum from July 23, 1923, together with \$75.00 attorneys' fees for plaintiff's attorneys and costs of suit in the sum of \$15.05 and costs accruing in the sum of \$5.00, I will on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of said day at the front door of the court house in the City of Ada in said county and state offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash and subject to said first mortgage, the property above described or so much thereof as will satisfy said judgment with interest, attorneys' fees and costs.

Witness my hand this 28th day of January, 1924.

J. E. SLOAN,
Sheriff of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma.
By P. H. Deal, Under Sheriff.
McKeown & Green, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 1-31-5tw

NOTICE OF Sheriff's Sale of Land.
No. 5551

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Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty-eight (28) and West Half of Northwest Quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27), Township Five North, Range Five (5) East of the Indian Meridian in Pontotoc County, Oklahoma;

to satisfy a judgment and decree of foreclosure obtained and made in said court on the 23rd day of July, 1923, in favor of plaintiff and against the defendants A. F. See and

Mildred See, his wife, for the sum of \$760.10 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from July 23, 1923, together with \$55.00 attorneys' fees for plaintiff's attorneys, \$15.00 compensation for A. C. Chaney, guardian ad litem and costs of suit in the sum of \$17.05 and costs accruing in the sum of \$5.00, I will on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of said day at the front door of the court house in the City of Ada in said County and State offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash and subject to the highest bidder for cash and the property above described or so much thereof as will satisfy said judgment with interest, attorneys' fees and costs.

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Done this January 30th, 1924.

McKeown & Green, attorneys for Administrator.

E. T. PENDLETON, Adm'r.
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

This is to give the public notice that after this date the policy of the office of the County Clerk of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, will not permit any instrument to be withdrawn for any reason after same has been filed and entered on the reception record to be recorded.

Be sure there are no mistakes made when drawing up your papers for such mistakes will have to be corrected with new instrument and that means time, and extra expense.

I don't desire to cause the public any inconvenience, but can not permit this office to be the clearing house to correct all mistakes, so please don't ask for same to be done.

Yours for the best of service this office can render you.

RIT ERWIN,
2-1-6td-3tw County Clerk

STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
COUNTY OF PONTOTOC, ss.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT
No. 6628
Ida Solomon, Plaintiff.

vs.

W. T. Solomon, et al, and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees and assigns of A. W. Solomon, deceased. Defendants.

To W. T. Solomon whose residence is unknown or if dead then his heirs, executors, administrators, devisees and assigns and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees and assigns of A. W. Solomon, deceased.

You and each of you are hereby notified and will take notice that you have been sued in the above named court by the Plaintiff in a suit to quiet the title and to partition and divide the following described land and premises situated in Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, to-wit:

The West Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 11, Township 3 North, Range 4 East, I. B. M. containing 80 acres more or less, also Lots 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, Block 26, in the town of Vanoss, Oklahoma, according to the official map and plat thereof.

and to determine who are and who were, at the time of his death, the heirs of said A. W. Solomon, deceased, who died in Pontotoc County on or about the 6th day of January, 1920, for a more particular description of Plaintiff's cause of Action reference is hereby made to the Petition filed in this cause and you must answer the petition filed thereby by said plaintiff on or before the 31st day of March 1924, or said petition will be taken as true and a judgment for said plaintiff quieting the title to said lands and decreeing the partition thereof and decreeing that

the plaintiff, Ida Solomon, and the defendants, J. P. Solomon, Mrs. D. R. Citron, W. T. Solomon, Carl Solomon, D. V. Solomon, A. H. Solomon, Edith Roundtree, Mark Solomon and Gladys Solomon, are the sole and only heirs of A. W. Solomon, deceased, and barring all others as prayed for in said petition. Dated this the 11th day of February, 1924.

L. E. FRANKLIN,
Court Clerk of Pontotoc County,
Oklahoma.
Wimbish and Duncan,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
(2-14-4tw)

NOTICE OF Settlement of Final
Account of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma,
County of Pontotoc, ss.
IN THE COUNTY COURT
No. 2329.

In the matter of the estate of Jane Perry, deceased; Andy Black, administrator.

Notice is hereby given, that Andy Black, administrator of the estate of Jane Perry, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement, and filed in said court, his final account and report of his administration as such administrator, and his petition for distribution of said estate, and for his discharge; and that the 6th day of March, 1924, the same being a regular probate day of this court, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, of said day, at the county court room of Pontotoc county, Oklahoma, has been appointed by the court for the settlement of said account, and for hearing said petition, at which time and place any person interested may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to the account and contest the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, this 15th day of February, 1924.

(Seal) TAL CRAWFORD,
County Judge Pontotoc County,
Oklahoma.
McKeown & Green,
Attorneys for Administrators. 2-14-3

FARMERS OF CARTER
COUNTY WANT MELONS

ARDMORE—There was an enthusiastic meeting of the truck growers at the courthouse Saturday, and pledges made to plant at least 200 acres in cantaloupes, between 150 acres in watermelons this season. The truck growers are in position to contract all they raise the coming season, and are assured of a market it is said.

George L. Dyer, secretary, states that any farmer who has a few acres of sandy loam will be amply repaid by planting in cantaloupes or melons this season, and advises all who desire, and have not done so, to see him and state just how many acres they are willing to put in.

The growers will plant one variety, and all at the same time in order that the market will produce car lots when the crop is ready to move.

At the meeting Saturday M. Dryer indulged in some straight talk to those present and stated that now was the time to organize and get away from cotton as far as possible.

He stated that farmers could raise melons and cantaloupes in this locality in great numbers and the crop would be a source of revenue to the producers, when most needed.

LITTLE-GRAHAM

The marriage of Miss Verna Graham of this city to Mr. Frank Little of Cushing, was solemnized at the First Christian church at Stillwater, Wednesday, February 6th with the pastor of the church officiating.

Mrs. Little grew to womanhood in Ada, is a graduate of the Ada high school and spent two years as a student in East Central college where she was a popular member of the Sigma, Sigma Sorority.

They will make their home at 321 North Noble street at Cushing until early summer when they will go to California where Mr. Little will be connected with an oil and refining company.

Mr. Little is in the oil game in Cushing and Sapulpa where he is popular with the oil fraternity. His former home was Joplin, Missouri.

666 quickly relieves Colds, Fever and LaGrippe, Constipation, Biliousness and Headaches.



WAREHOUSE BILL UNCONSTITUTIONAL

Court Held that State Did
Not Have Power to Lend
To Enterprises

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 12.—The state warehouse bill passed by the regular session of the Ninth Legislature was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court today.

The court held that the state did not have authority to loan public money for private enterprises.

The warehouse bill, a Reconstruction League measure, carried an appropriation of \$250,000 for the organization and operation of a system of warehouses throughout the state.

The opinion was rendered in a case filed last July by John Vette, a Major county farmer, for an injunction against C. C. Childers, state auditor to restrain him from paying out any of the money appropriated. State Senator Harry O. Glasser of Enid, represented Vette.

The case was heard before Judge W. H. Zwick in district court and the injunction was denied. Glasser appealed.

The opinion today was written by Justice Cochran and concurred in by Justices Harrison, Nicholson, Kenner, Mason and Lydick.

Chief Justice Johnson and Justice McNeil and Branson dissented.

are to be seen preparing for early sowing.

The farm trade is holding up to its usual standard at this time of year and if the season may be judged from the beginning, 1924 will be a most successful year for the county.

FARMERS NOT
CONTENT WITH
OIL GODDESS

ADA MILLING COMPANY
HOLDS PROGRESS PAGE

(From Sunday's Daily)

However the oil situation in its present stage or as it may become an increasingly important factor in the business activities of the country, with its rapid developments and quick returns, the grass roots of the county will receive their annual stirring.

This is evidenced by the yearly preparation for early spring plowing. With the ground in favorable condition for the first time in some months farmers of the county are purchasing plow shares and other essentials necessary to the breaking of the ground. Bolts, plow handles, points, and harness furnish the bulk of the farm trade, hardware men say.

With derricks springing up in all parts of the county and leases overhanging much of the cultivated land of this section farmers apparently do not care to leave their prosperity to the goddess of fortune, and

over a big part of Texas and Arkansas.

The mill is now getting ready to switch from oil burning engines to electricity. Motors as powerful as 90 horsepower will be installed with in a few days. Garrett explains that business conditions appear to be improving, and that his plant has to run night and day to keep up with the orders. The products are shipped throughout Oklahoma and over the Southwest.

FARM TOOLS FROM

ROLLOW HARDWARE CO.

have tilled the soil and harvested the crops of Pontotoc county for more than 23 years.

This year, as in previous years, we are prepared to take care of the needs of the farmers for all kinds of Farm Machinery.

If It Comes from Rollow's—It Does the Work!

Dealers for:

International Harvester Co. Tools

Avery Farm Tools

Oliver Farm Tools

Old Trusty Incubators

Full Line of

Bee Supplies

Everything for the

WILSON.

We have been having some fine weather, and every one is breaking ground.

Brother Stone filled his regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday.

We have also organized a Sunday school, everyone come.

Miss Eddings spent the week-end with her father and mother at Center.

Miss Jewel Fussell spent Friday night with Miss Florence Hillard.

Misses Chloe and Opal Fussell spent Friday night with Miss Ruby Stewart.

Miss Eva Brandon was the Saturday night guest of Miss Esther Vandegrift.

Lon Brandon and Sam Clark went to Ardmore on business Saturday.

Misses Eva and Lorena Brandon and Esther Vandegrift went horse back riding Saturday.

Miss Florence Hillard spent Sunday with Miss Ruby Stewart.

Miss Ruby Stewart and Florence Hillard and Earl Stewart, Johnnie Taylor and Carl Stewart went to Professor Roberts' one night last week to play dominoes.

Miss Florence Hillard spent Tuesday night with Misses Chloe, Jewel and Garnett Fussell.

Frank Beller made a business trip to Ada Saturday.

C. A. Stewart was visiting a place at Ada Saturday, southwest of the city, which he hopes to purchase.

Mrs. Hillard and daughter Ruby, and two sons were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beller Sunday.

Miss Esther Vandegrift visited school Friday.

Miss Willie Morrison is on the sick list.

Miss Eula Morrison was visiting at Fitzhugh the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson are the proud parents of a big boy.

Mrs. Roberts and baby were visiting Mrs. Robertson Friday afternoon.

Frank Taylor, Pleas Bethurem and Troylee Arnett took dinner with Earl Stewart Sunday.

Luther Brandon and wife are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brandon.

Mrs. Edith Roundtree was shopping in Ada Saturday.

Misses Viola Roundtree and Gladys Solomon visited Mrs. Stewart Saturday afternoon.—The Wonderful Kid from Wilson.

ROCKY CHAPEL

Well, it has turned bad again and it keeps people from working.

School is progressing nicely with a good attendance.

The birthday party given in honor of Ruby Fussell was well attended. About 45 were present. It was given at Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clampitt's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howard motored over to Lawrence Sunday evening.

Jewell and Nora Chapman visited Mr. and Mrs. Runney Chapman Sunday.

Myrtle and Jack Parnell from Franks visited their sister, Mrs. Runny Chapman Sunday.

Ruby and Gladys Fussell and Haskell and Rudd Price attended prayer meeting at Lawrence Sunday.

Mrs. Creech and two daughters, Birdie and Gertrude went to Frisco Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mrs. Rock of Ada has been visiting her sons the past week.

Singing Saturday night at Mr. and Mrs. Howard's was pretty good.

Orel Clampitt, Dibrell Ledbetter and Gertrude Creech who are attending the College spent the weekend with home folks and also attended the party Friday night.

Gladys Fussell, Cled Price, Ruth Fussell and Paul Fussell spent a few hours Sunday night in the Chapman home. They furnished plenty of music.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Fussell from Wilson spent Sunday with his brother Bob Fussell.

Ruth Price and Ruby Goodrich spent Friday night with Birdie and Gertrude Creech.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fears of Ada attended the party Friday night.

Ethel Smith was the guest of Mrs. Webb Sunday evening.

Lora Holt and Nora Willis from Pleasant Hill attended the party Friday night.

Frank Votaw is up from the measles.

Marvin Phillips and son Clarence were in Ada Monday.

Harvey Ledbetter was in Ada Saturday on business.

Edd and Bob Fussell, also Paul Fussell and Carl Sherman motored to Ada Sunday evening.

Myrtle and Ethel Smith visited school Friday evening.—Two Blue Eyes Maidens.

CHOCTAW MIXED FEED IS RICH AS CREAM. 2-7-4tw

AHLOSO ITEMS.

A shower of rain visited the Ahloso community Sunday night.

Mrs. Ruth Stout was visiting relatives and friends in this community the week-end.

Little Clifford Miller who broke his leg at school about two weeks ago is improving nicely.

Misses Mittle Hutchins and Mae Carmichael visited Mrs. Ella Cooper Saturday afternoon.

Miss Essie Miller spent Sunday night with Pearl Throgmorton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooper a nine pound baby boy. Mother and babe are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmichael and daughters Mae and Hazel and Miltie Hutchins were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brandon Sunday.

Ruth Stagg spent Wednesday night with Essie Miller.

Hillard Oliver, Calvin McCord and Guard Green attended preaching at High Hill Sunday night.

Una Rudd of Owl Creek was visiting Essie Miller Sunday.

Miss Mittle Hutchins and Mae and Hazel Carmichael attended preaching at Lovelady Sunday morning and Sunday afternoon.

Little Thelma Williams visited in the Carmichael home Saturday.

Miss Essie Miller spent Thursday night with Ruth Stagg.

Clyde Robinson made a business trip to Walter Miller's Sunday.

Our school is progressing nicely our teacher, Miss Carroll is doing fine work.—The Loving Chums.

CHOCTAW MIXED FEED IS RICH AS CREAM. 2-7-4tw

Plenty of money to pay out on farm loans. Lehr and Grant.

2-14-3tw

Let a News Want Ad get it.

ROCKY CHAPEL.

Health in this community is fine; except a few colds.

Farming is progressing nicely.

The party at Mrs. Henry Clampitt's Friday night was well attended and everybody had a nice time.

Mrs. Bob Fussell and daughter Gladys visited Mrs. Henry Clampitt Wednesday.

Misses Nora Willis and Lora Holt of Pleasant Hill attended the party Friday night.

Miss Ruby Goodrich and Ruth Price were the guests of Miss Gertrude Creech Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fears of Ada attended the party at Henry Clampitt's Friday night.

Misses Olin Votaw and Ida Smith visited Mrs. Clampitt Thursday.

Misses Ethel and Myrtle Smith visited Mrs. B. A. Howard Friday afternoon.

George Creech and daughter Mrs. Eula Hulsey are moving to Rosedale, Okla.

Miss Gertrude Creech spent week end with home folks.

Haskell Price has been on the sick list this week.

Misses Pearl and Opal Phillips attended the party at Henry Clampitt's home Friday night.

Mrs. M. B. Creech, and family spent Saturday with Mrs. Lillie Voyley.

Mr. Clampitt's mother, Mrs. Rock is visiting him this week end.

Dibrell Ledbetter spent week end with home folks.

Mrs. Addie Webb and Mrs. Lizzie Porter visited Mrs. Jewel Creech Saturday.

Willie Creech went to Pleasant Hill Sunday evening.

H. B. Creech happened to a serious accident Monday by cutting his foot.

S. C. Smith was in Ada Monday on business.

Come on Latta and Lightning Ridge we like to hear from you.

LONG DISTANCE.

Why freeze, when you can pad a 3-lb. quilt for 30 cents. Ada Cotton Oil Mill, The home of Choctaw Mixed Feed.

2-7-4tw

BEBEE.

School is progressing nicely with a large attendance.

W. W. Crane and family spent Sunday with A. M. Rollins and family.

Dewey Northam and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Humphreys.

Curtis Wells and wife spent Friday night with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. McMasters.

The singing at Bob Maxwell's Sunday night was well attended.

Earl and Pat Johnson spent Sunday evening in the Rollins home.

W. W. Crane and family went to Ada Friday.

Bob Maxwell attended prayer meeting at John Layne's Sunday night.

R. L. Rollins made a business trip to Ada Saturday.

Horace Robbins of Egypt community attended the singing at Bob Maxwell's Sunday night.

Truman and Haskell Wilburn of Ada Visited their grand parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rains Sunday.

Earl Summers who has the measles is reported better.

Raymond Rains spent the weekend with home folks.

Roy Stegall and Dock Humphers went to Ada Sunday night.

C. L. Colbert spent Sunday evening in the Rollins home.

Mr. McMasters and wife spent Saturday night with Curtis Wells and wife.

Lonnie Haggard visited her mother Mrs. A. M. Rollins Sunday.

Most all the farmers are working cutting stalks or breaking land. Also many are cutting wood.

Artie Hood spent Saturday night with Lula See.

Georgia and Hat—Cape spent Sunday with Beatrice See.

Don't forget the pie supper Feb. 22. Every one invited to come and bring some one with you.—Brown Eyes.

Lehr and Grant for farm loans. 2-14-3tw

CEDAR GROVE.

Weather is very pleasant this week.

On account of the rain last week, the farmers will be delayed for awhile.

Miss Florris Jones spent Saturday night with Velma Jones.

Warren Baker was in Ada Saturday on business.

Cedar Grove boys played the Francis boys in a basket ball game and was defeated but not discouraged.

Miss Davette Huddleston spent Sunday evening with Miss Gladys West.

Troy West and Edd Shelby attended services at the Francis Baptist church Sunday night.

Miss Lizzie Lamb attended services Sunday night.

Bro. Hall led prayer meeting Saturday night.

Bro. Hall of Sasakwa is teaching a singing school at Denny and every body is invited. There will also be a pie supper Saturday night, Feb. 16.

Dallas Lamb was one of the school visitors last Friday.

Mr. Floyd and Mr. Herring of Ada visited our school Monday evening.

Bro. Huddleston will preach for us next Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Dovette Huddleston was a visitor to our school Tuesday.

Russell Head and family visited home folks last Sunday night at Happy Land.

A SWEET PAPA.

PICKETT

On account of bad weather Monday and Tuesday of last week the primary room's attendance was lower than it has been for a long time.

In the fourth grade contest the captains were Morgan Fowler and Ruth McIntyre. Morgan Fowler's side winning over the others by ten points.

Rufus Sawyer was judged to be the best reader in the second grade for last week.

The captains for the third grade

contest were Imogene Hooser and Clyde Parker. Imogene Hooser's side

was judged to be the best readers. Several students were absent from the primary room on account of severe colds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Laughlin visited Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Fowler Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Williams was taken suddenly ill Friday night about 1 o'clock and died at 3:30 Saturday morning, and was buried Sunday evening at the Egypt cemetery. She was 58 years old. All of her children were present at the interment but her oldest daughter.

The seventh and eighth grades are having a contest in spelling with the girls against the boys. The boys are two points ahead.

Part of the seventh and eighth visited the News office Saturday afternoon. Mr. Norrell took them through the building and explained how the work was performed.

The singing was not very well attended Sunday afternoon. Mr. Henry failed to be with us, but several singers came from Knox, so we had good singing after all. Our new books have arrived and we enjoyed using them.

Bro. Grimes, the Methodist pastor filled his regular appointment Sunday and Sunday night.

Clive Robertson and Olive Tracy returned Monday from Colorado where they have spent the past year.

The committee which was appointed to set out trees on the school grounds met Saturday and set out forty-eight trees which adds so much to the beautification of the grounds.

The children are greatly enthused over their new see-saws. We hope to have the swings ready for use in a day or so!

Thelma Deatherage, who has been out of school because of tonsilitis is back this week.—Miss Minnie Wall.

EGYPT.

Miss Mary Cantrell was the guest of Opal Jones Wednesday night.

Miss Ella Cunningham spent Wednesday night with Lula and Nora Cantrell.

Miss Bessie Graham spent a few days with Mrs. Letha Binion of Ada.

Miss Lora South called on Mary Elsie Wednesday night.

John

Tonight increasing cloudiness, warmer; Wednesday partly cloudy.

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ADA, OKLAHOMA, TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1924

DIPLOMA MILL IN OKLAHOMA BEARS BRUNT OF PROBE

Fake Physicians and Doctors to be Rounded Up in State Cleanup.

MANY IN OKLAHOMA

Fake Machine Operators in State Slated for Glare of Probers.

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 8.—A state-wide cleanup of alleged abuses of the medical profession in Oklahoma was launched today by the state board of medical examiners meeting here today. "Diploma mill" physicians, and doctors who are charged with violation of the national narcotic laws and alleged fakers are to be proceeded against at once, it was announced. A hearing was in progress today before the board to determine whether Dr. L. H. Gordon of Claremore shall be deprived of his state license as a result of charges which have been filed against him by federal authorities alleging illegal sale of narcotics. It was announced that his case is the first of approximately 40 which are to be reviewed. The hearing was executive.

It was also announced at the board headquarters that cases of six "diploma mill" physicians will be investigated.

Attorney General George Short was requested by the board to investigate a machine which members of the board said had been used by alleged physicians throughout the state to effect purported cures of illnesses that were nonexistent.

Dr. J. M. Byrum of Shawnee, secretary of the board, reported that hundreds of persons have been victimized by unscrupulous men who have posed as physicians in this way. He asserted that the operators of the machines rent them from manufacturers on a contract providing they shall not permit them to be examined by anyone.

Records placed before the board indicated that seven machines are in use in Tulsa, at least four here and one in Muskogee. There are two in Bryan county and one in Potowatamie, according to the board records.

A general invitation to persons who have had dealings with operators of the machines to appear before the board to testify was issued at the meeting today.

REPUBLICANS FACING SHOWDOWN ON BONUS

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—A showdown among house Republicans on the soldiers bonus was assured today with the issuance of formal call for a conference Thursday night for a discussion of the question. The call sent out by Representative Anderson of Minnesota, chairman of the conference, was so worded as to permit consideration of taxation and other pending legislation. With former service men in the house pressing for action on the bonus, however, within the coming month, the Republican organization redoubles its efforts meantime to keep the Mellon tax bill from being displaced on the tentative legislative program. The Republican leaders want the ways and means committee to complete its consideration of the tax bill before taking up the bonus measure but the soldier bloc intends to introduce at the conference a resolution instructing the committee to report the bonus bill at once.

Coolidge Turns on Garner Provision for Tax Program

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—President Coolidge regards the sur-tax provisions of the Garner democratic tax program, as disregarding the principle that the government should encourage the investment of capital in business enterprises rather than tax free securities.

The chief executive told visitors today that although he had not made a detailed study or received advice from experts on the Garner program, he believed that the high sur-tax rate proposed would tend to continue the present objectionable practice on the part of capital to invest in such securities as to escape tax payments.

Three Drunks Taken

The police department reported an active session last night and as a result three drunks paid off fines to the usual amount this morning in tortoise to their misdemeanor. One arrest was also made on a charge of disturbing peace.

Sues for Voice Balm

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Winfred Gaynor, grand niece of the late Mayor Gaynor of New York former alto soloist in the Holy Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church has brought suit in municipal court for \$175 for alleged breach of contract, charging that her artistic soul had been injured by discord among her fellow singers at the church. The suit represented her salary from December 1 when she was discharged until May, 1924, the terminal date of her contract.

Counsel for the church declared Miss Gaynor interrupted a rehearsal and criticised her fellow-singers, calling the alto a "bunch of cats."

VENIZELOS PLANNING NEW LIFE FOR GREEK RULE

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Ex-Premier Venizelos of Greece is recovering from the indisposition with which he was seized during the initial session of the new assembly and seems to be planning to become foreign minister in the new cabinet says a dispatch to Reuters from Athens today. It is declared that he has become optimistic regarding the achievements of unity with in the nation satisfied with the conversations he has had so far with opposition leaders.

BRITISH OBJECT TO BOOZE RAIDS

Formal Protest Expected as Aftermath of Seizure of Ships.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Seizure of the British schooner Kwasind by United States authorities at Wilmington, North Carolina, after the ship had put in for repairs, carrying a cargo of intoxicating liquors, has been made the subject of a new inquiry filed with the state department by the British government through its embassy here.

The action is believed to be preliminary to the filing of a formal protest.

The British inquiry was forwarded to the treasury and justice departments with the request that information concerning the seizure be furnished. Meanwhile the state department is awaiting information from the treasury concerning the seizure beyond the three mile limit of the British schooners Tomoka and Island Home. Protests in these cases already have been filed by the British embassy.

A general invitation to persons who have had dealings with operators of the machines to appear before the board to testify was issued at the meeting today.

GALVESTON, Jan. 8.—The British auxiliary schooner Muriel E. Winters with approximately \$100,000 worth of liquor in her hold was tied up at the water front here today patrolled by government guards armed with rifles waiting for formal action of authorities against the vessel, her cargo and her crew.

The Winters was seized Sunday afternoon in the gulf off Galveston.

KANSAS FARMER KILLS SWEETHEART, THEN SELF

(By the Associated Press)

WINFIELD, Kas., Jan. 8.—Leon Wilson, 23, a farmer, last night shot and instantly killed his sweetheart Halle Fromm, shot at her mother, Mrs. Earl C. Fromm, turned the gun himself, dying within a few minutes. The double tragedy occurred at the Fromm home near Cambridge.

Wilson who had been forbidden to see the girl by her parents last night entered the house with her. A quarrel ensued because of his defiance and Wilson jerked a .32 caliber automatic pistol from his pocket pressed it against Miss Fromm's forehead and fired. She was killed instantly. Turning Wilson fired at Mrs. Fromm who had not yet retired, but missed. Mrs. Fromm fell in a faint, however, Norman Howard, post American Legion, according to the announcement of Robert S. Kerr, post commander.

Among the most important matters will be taken up tonight at the regular meeting of the members of the legion clubrooms in the Convention Hall, which at the present time are in a barren state. Kerr stated that every effort would be extended to furnish veterans with place to assemble and pass away the evenings in a closer grip of

Mexican Oil Wells Taken

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Officers of the Faia-American Petroleum and Transit Co. today announced that the Mexican rebels had taken possession of its wells at Tierra Blanca and Chapapote Nunez. Wells and pipe lines had been shut down, the statement said, and no oil is coming through from these fields.

Will Renew His Fight For Freedom



Harry K. Thaw, as he was shortly after the murder of Stanford White, and views of him at successive stages of his troubled life. At the extreme right he is shown as he is today—an old man in appearance.

Although it is denied by his battles in the annals of American mother, the wealth Mrs. Martha Conley Thaw, of Pittsburgh, it is declared that Harry K. Thaw, celebrated architect and chief figure in one of the most sensational court

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VIOLA GWYN

By
George Barr McCutcheon

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The sound of her voice released him from the brief spell of stupefaction.

"I know you. I remember you. You are Rachel Carter," he said hoarsely.

She was staring at him as if fascinated. Her lips moved, but no sound issued from them.

He hesitated for an instant and then turned to pick up his hat and gloves. "I came to see your daughter, madam—as well you know. Permit me to take my departure."

"You are so like your—" she began with an effort, her voice deep and low with emotion. "So like him I—I was frightened. I thought he had." She broke off abruptly, lowered her head in an attempt to hide from him the trembling lips and chin and to regain, if possible, the composure that had been so desperately shaken. "Wait!" she cried, stridently. "Wait! Do not go away. Give me time to—to—"

"There is no need for us to prolong—" he began in a harsh voice.

"I will not keep you long," she interrupted, every trace of emotion vanishing like a shadow that has passed. She was facing him now, her head erect, her voice steady. Her dark, cavernous eyes were upon him; he experienced an odd, indescribable sensation—as of shrinking—and without being fully aware of what he was doing, replaced his hat upon the table, an act which signified involuntary surrender on his part.

"Where is Viola?" he demanded sternly. "She left word for me to come here. Where is she?"

"She is not here," said the woman. "She has gone over to spend the afternoon with Ellie Wardlow. I will be frank with you. This is not the time for misunderstanding. She asked Isaac Stain to give you that message at my request—or command, if you want the truth. I sent her away because what I have to say to you must be said in private. There is no one in the house besides ourselves. Will you do me the favor to be seated? Very well; we will stand."

She walked to one of the windows and, drawing the curtains aside, swept the yard and adjacent roadway with a long, searching look.

The strong light fell full upon her face; its warmth seemed suddenly to pain the glow of life upon her pallid skin. He gazed at her intently. Out of the past there came to him with startling vividness the face of the Rachel Carter he had known. Thine and the toll of long, hard hours had brought deep furrows to her cheeks, like lines chiseled in a face of marble, but they had not broken the magnificent body of the Rachel Carter who used to toss him joyously into the air with her strong young arms and sure hands. But there was left no sign of the broad, rolicking smile that always attended those gay romps. Her lips were firm-set, straight and unyielding—a hard mouth flanked by what

ARMED GUARDS MAKE PAPER MONEY SAFE

(By the Associated Press)

BERLIN.—Banks in Berlin are having as much difficulty these days as are bakers in keeping their hungry customers satisfied. All day long their telephones bring in insistent demands for paper money. "Berlin must have twenty thousand rubles tomorrow," is a typical message.

The money is not distributed from the Reichsbank, irrespective of where it was printed. Small wagons constructed like iron-caskets travel on rails through the building and carry the money, the actual distribution of which is directed from one room. It is packed in large bags, carefully sealed. Two thousand consignments leave the Reichsbank daily.

While in the bank building the paper is stored in a heavily armored cage which is practically an underground town, with scores of avenues and passageways. This cellar is cluttered up with money of such small denominations that it was never issued because of its slight value. Thousands gave way to millions rapidly, and the millions gave way to billions. Consequently the race between the Reichsbank printers and the falling exchange rates has frequently resulted in defeat for the money printers.

UNPRODUCTIVE HUSBANDS HALTED TO DIVORCE COURT

(By the Associated Press)

BERLIN.—A rush to the divorce courts has been produced by the regulation that women teachers married to men who hold government positions, are to be dismissed to make way for women who have no husband to support them.

Feminists are up in arms, but the unemployment situation is so serious that radical measures are

seemed to be absolutely immovable lines.

She faced him, standing with her back to the light.

"Sooner or later we would have had to meet," she said. "It is best for both of us to have it over with at the very start."

"I suppose you are right," said he stiffly. "You know how I feel toward you, Rachel Carter. There is nothing either of us can say that will make the situation easier or harder, for that matter."

"Yes—I understand," said she calmly. "You hate me. You have been brought up to hate me. I do not question the verdict of those who condemned me, but you may as well understand at once that I do not regret what I did twenty years ago. I have not repented. I shall never repent. We need not discuss that side of the question any further. You knew my history, Kenneth Gwynne. You are the only person in this part of the world who does know it. When the controversy first came up over the settlement of your father's estate, I feared that you would reveal the story of my—"

He held up his hand, interrupting her. "I can say to you now, Rachel Carter, that I do not intend to raise up that ugly story. I do not make war on helpless women."

Her lips writhed slightly, and her eyes narrowed as if with pain. It was but a fleeting exposition of vulnerability, however, for in another instant she had recovered.

"You could not have struck harder than that if you had been warring against a strong man," she said gently.

A hot flush stained his cheek. "It is the way I feel, nevertheless, Rachel Carter," he said deliberately.

"You can think of me only as Rachel Carter," she said. "My name is Rachel Gwynne. Still it doesn't matter. I am past the point where I can be hurt. You may tell the story if it suits your purpose. I shall deny nothing. I wanted you to come here today, to see me alone, to hear what I have to say—not about myself—but about another. I am a woman of quick decisions. When I learned early this morning that you would be in Lafayette today, I made up my mind to take a certain step—and I have not changed it."

"If you are referring to your daughter—to my half-sister, if you will—I have only to remind you that my mind is already made up. You need have no fear that I shall do or say anything to hurt that innocent girl. I am assuming, of course, that she knows nothing of—well, of what happened back there in Kentucky."

"She knows nothing," said the woman, in a voice strangely low and tense. "If she ever knew, she has forgotten."

"Forgotten?" he cried. "Good God, how could she have forgotten a thing so—"

She moved a step nearer, her burning eyes fixed on his.

"You remember Rachel Carter well enough. Have you no recollection of the little girl you used to play with? Minda?"

"Of course I remember her," he cried impatiently. "I remember everything. You took her away with you and—why did you leave her behind as my father left me? Why could you not have been as fair to your child as he was to his?"

She was silent for a moment, pondering her answer. "I do not suppose it has ever occurred to you that I might have loved my child too deeply to abandon her," she said, a strange softness in her voice.

"My father loved me," he cried out.

"And yet he left me behind."

"He loved you—yes—but he would not take you. He left you with some one who also loved you. Don't ever forget that, Kenneth Gwynne. I would not go without Minda. No more would your mother have gone without you. Stop! I did not mean to offend. So you do remember little Minda?"

"Yes, I remember her. But she is dead. Why do you mention her—".

"Minda is not dead," said she slowly.

"Not—why, she was drowned in the—"

"No. Minda is alive. You saw her last night—at Phineas Striker's house."

He started violently. "The girl I saw last night was—Minda!" he cried.

"Why, Striker told me she was—"

"I know—I know," she interrupted impatiently. "Striker told you what he believed to be true. There is not a drop of Gwyn blood in her body."

"Then, she is not my half-sister?" he exclaimed, utterly dazed, but aware of the exquisite sensation of relief that was taking hold of him.

"She is no blood relation of yours."

"Does she know that she is not my father's daughter?"

"No. She believes herself to be his own flesh and blood—his own daughter," said she with the deliberateness of one weighing her words, that they might fall with full force upon her listener.

"Why are you telling me all this?" he demanded abruptly. "What is your object? If she does not know the truth, why should I? Good God, woman, you—you do not expect me to tell her, do you? Was that your purpose in getting me here? You want me to tell her that—"

"No!" she cried out sharply. "I do not want you or anyone else to do that. Listen to me. I sha'n't be about the bush. I will not waste words. So far as Viola and the world are concerned, she is Robert Gwynn's daughter. That is clear to you, is it not? She was less than two years old when we came away—too young to remember anything. She is nearly

twenty-two now, although she believes she is but nineteen. She does not remember any other father than Robert Gwyn. She has no recollection of her own father, nor does she remember you. She—"

"Last night she described her father to me," he interrupted. "Her supposed father, I mean. She made it quite plain that he did not love her as a father should love his own child."

"It was not that," she said. "He was afraid of her, mortally afraid of her. He lived in dread of the day when she would learn the truth and turn upon him. He always meant to tell her himself, and yet he could not find the courage. Toward the end he did not heart to have her near him. I do not believe he would have loved a child if one had come to him and said, 'My child of mine could take the place you had in his heart.' She spoke with calm bitterness. "You say she told you about him last night. I am not surprised that she should have spoken of him as she did. It was not possible for her to love him as a father. Nature took good care of that. There was a barrier between them."

"I have told you the truth, because I am as certain as I am that I stand here now that you would have found it all out some day, some day soon, perhaps. In the first place your father did not mention her in his will. That alone is enough to cause you to wonder. You understand I cannot exact any promises from you. You will do as you see fit in the matter. There is one thing that you must realize, however. Viola has not robbed you of anything—not even a father's love. She does not profit by his death. He did not leave her a farthing, not even a shapely of land. I am entitled to my share by law. I earned my share—I worked as hard as he did to build up a fortune. When I die my lands and my money will go to my daughter. You need not hope to have any part in them. I do not ask you to keep silent on my account. I only ask you to spare her. Now you know everything. There is no need for you to speculate. There is nothing for you to unravel. You know who Viola is. You know why she was left out of your father's will. The point is this, when all is said—she must never know. She must always—do you hear me?—she must always look upon you as her brother. She must never know the truth about me. I put her happiness, her pride, her faith, in your hands, Kenneth Gwynne."

He had listened with rigid attention, marvelling at the calm, dispassionate, unfaltering manner in which she had stated her case and Viola's—indeed, she had stated his own case to him.

"There is no other course open to me," he said, taking up his hat. He was very pale. "There is nothing more to say, now or hereafter. We have had, I trust, our last conversation. I hate you. I could wish you all the unhappiness that life can give, but I am not such a beast as to tell your daughter what kind of a woman you are. So there's the end. Good day, Rachel Carter."

He turned away, his hand was on the door latch, before she spoke again.

"There is something more," she said, without moving from the spot where she had stood throughout the recital. "It was my pleading, back in those other days, that finally persuaded Robert Gwyn to let me bring Minda up as his daughter. He was bitterly opposed to it at first. He was as firm as a rock on one point, however. He would bring her up as his daughter, but he would not give her his name. It was after he agreed to my plan that he changed the spelling of his own name. That was his real reason for changing his name.

"In the beginning, as I have told you, he believed it to be his duty to tell her the truth about herself. He was sincere in that. But he did not

have the heart to tell her after years had passed. Now let me tell you what he did a few weeks before he passed away, and you will know what a strange man he was. He came home one day and said to me: 'I have put Viola's case in the hands of Providence. I have written it all out and I have hidden the paper in a place where she is not likely ever to find it—it where I am sure she will never look. I will not even tell you where it is hidden, for I do not trust you—no, not even you. You would seek it out and destroy it. If she ever comes across the paper it will be a miracle, and miracles are not the work of man. So it will be God Himself who reveals the truth to her.' Now you can see, Ken-

neth, that the secret is not entirely in our keeping. There is always the chance that she may stumble upon that paper."

"You are right," he said, deeply impressed. "There is always the chance that it will come to light. Are you sure that no one else knows that she is not his daughter?"

"I am sure of it," she replied with decision.

"And there is nothing more you have to tell me?"

"Nothing. You may go now."

As he walked rapidly away from the house in the direction of Main street he experienced a sudden sense of exaltation. Viola was not his sister! As suddenly came the reaction, and with it stark realization. Viola could never be anything to him except a sister.

CHAPTER VII

Brother and Sister.

As he turned into Main street he espied the figure of a woman coming toward him from the direction of the public square. His mind was so fully occupied with thoughts of a most disturbing character that he paid no attention to her, except to note that she was dressed in black and that, in holding her voluminous skirt well off the ground to avoid the mud puddles, she revealed the bottom of a white, ruffled petticoat.

His meditations were interrupted and his interest suddenly aroused when he observed that she had stopped stock-still in the path. After a moment she turned and walked rapidly, with scant regard for the puddles, in the direction from which she had come. Fifteen or twenty paces down the road she came to what was undoubtedly a path or "short cut" through the wood. Into this she turned hastily and was lost to view among the trees and hazel brush.

He had recognized her, or rather he had divined who she was. He quickened his pace, bent upon overtaking her. Then, with the thrill of the hunter, he abruptly whirled and retraced his steps, chuckling in anticipation of her surprise when she found him waiting for her at the other end of the "short cut." He could hear her coming through the brush, although she turned hasty and was lost to view among the trees and hazel brush.

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City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Maya.

Don't forget the Palm Garden. Phone 193. 11-7-tf

J. R. Lewis of Vanoss is a business visitor in Ada today.

Exide Battery Sales and Service Phone 1004. Ada Service & Filling Station. 9-5-tf

See 10c huck towels. Simpson's 1-7-2t

F. P. Lieppalen of Fort Worth, is a business visitor in Ada today.

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00. H. Claude Pitt, phone 171. 1-8-tf

We buy second hand furniture, paying best prices. Phone 438. Shelton Furniture Co. 11-9-tf

A. P. Ray is reported ill of pneumonia at his home 306 West 14th street.

Special -- Huck towels 10c. Simpson's. 1-7-2t

Try the Red Ball Filling Station. 307 West Main. 24-hour service. Phone 54. 12-14-1mo

F. H. Wozenecraft leaves in the morning for a business trip in Seminole.

Mrs. O. A. Tunnel has opened her sewing room again over Simpson's. 1-8-3t

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and Sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Mrs. O. A. Tunnel returned Sunday night from points in Texas visiting with relatives.

Headquarters for bicycle tires. Ada Service and Filling Station. 1-8-1mo

A-1 delivery truck, delivery wagon and harness to trade for beef cattle. Rains Grocery. 1-7-2t

Mrs. John Case left this afternoon for Oklahoma City to visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Prum.

Try the Red Ball Filling Station. 307 West Main. 24-hour service. Phone 54. 12-14-1mo

Why freeze, when you can pad a 3 lb. quilt for 30 cents. Ada Cotton Oil Mill. The home of Choctaw Mixed Feed. 1-4-6t

Miss Ruby West, who has been ill for several days, is reported improved.

Who sells Federal Tires. Thee Square Deal. 11-12-1m

See 10c huck towels. Simpson's. 1-7-2t

A. T. Keltner, who recently underwent an operation, has sufficiently recovered to be able to resume his work as traveling salesman.

Mohawk Tires, Oliver & Nettles. 12-10-1mo

Mrs. Dr. Castleberry has opened her dressmaking shop again and has her partner, Mrs. Merring, who will give the business prompt attention. Mrs. Merring is very fine and will appreciate your business. 1-8-2t

C. B. and J. M. Keitner left today for Brownsville and other points in Texas. They are making the trip overland and will probably be gone about a month.

A-1 delivery truck, delivery wagon and harness to trade for beef cattle. Rains Grocery. 1-7-2t

We buy second hand furniture. Shelton Furniture Co., phone 438.

Mrs. E. C. Wilson of South Francis left today for Miller, Mo., in response to a message announcing the death of her father, J. M. Cassity. Mr. Cassity was seventy-six years old at his death and was a prominent and useful citizen of the state. Death occurred Monday.

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Motor Sales Co., parts and accessories for all cars. 4-11-1t

The Palm Garden. Phone 193. 11-7-1t

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Mothers! Your children like cookies in their school lunches. But you want them to have the best that can be found. Our cookies are always fresh, made from the purest ingredients obtainable. The children will thrive on them. Cocoa-nut Drop Cakes, Tahiti Cocoa-nut Cookies, Cocoa-nut Bars, Spanish Cookies, Oatmeal Cookies, Scotch Cookies. Get them for the kiddies lunch tomorrow. Butter-Krust Bakery, phone 481. 1-8-1t

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Edgar Caudle, J. D. Caudle and Wife.

BOOTLEGERS OF VENISON CAUGHT

Game Warden Faces Problem in Prosecuting Slayers of Deer.

(By the Associated Press)

ENID, Okla. Jan. 8.—What is believed to have been a wholesale "bootlegging" in protected game in Major county is broken up by the arrest of two men near Cleo Springs, who are accused of having killed deer. The two now are awaiting trial.

Wardens from the state game and fish department effected the arrest of the men the day before Christmas. It is believed an Enid produce man was a party to the violation of the game laws by buying the venison and shipping it to Chicago, but no evidence was uncovered to implicate anybody here according to the wardens.

Venison sells for about \$2 a pound on the Chicago market and the "bootlegger" receives between 75¢ and \$1 from the middleman, who forwards the game to the city. Deer average in weight between 100 and 125 pounds, with some of the bucks reaching 150. After the animal is killed it is dressed, placed in an automobile or wagon, and produce piled over it for the trip to market, the poacher and the dealer usually refer to it as mutton.

The two men under arrest here ostensibly grew turnips and sweet potatoes on a small farm near the Cleo Springs state preserve, the wardens declared. They attracted the deer to the preserve boundary fence by sprinkling sweet potatoes on the ground. The animals are very fond of sweet potatoes, the game warden said. During the night the poachers would lie in wait near the fence and as the animals came up to get the sweet potatoes the poachers would fire into the herd, killing two or three of the animals. Poaching has been practiced in Major county for some time, the wardens believe.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 8.—Poaching, or "bootlegging" in protected game is carried on to some extent in Oklahoma, J. S. Askew, state fish and game warden, declared. While the department through its 3,000 deputized assistants and 13 paid wardens keeps a continuous vigil over the herds of deer, turkeys and small game, a number of poachers have been able to ply their unlawful trade, the warden said.

The poachers usually are able to kill three to six deer a week during the winter months, his weekly profit will run from \$300 to \$500, the warden said.

"Bootlegging" in deer is a highly profitable undertaking, according to Mr. Askew. Some of the Christmas venison advertised in Chicago was received from Oklahoma poachers, he said.

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Ada Athletic Club to Sponsor Fight Wednesday Evening

The Cooper-Brown ten round fist performance will be staged under the auspices of the Ada Athletic club, according to the announcement of A. R. Dixon, promoter, who is managing Cooper's end of the contest and taking an active interest in the presentation.

Word was received yesterday from George Brown of Breckinridge, Texas, that he would arrive today to give Ada fans a glimpse of his style of fighting.

Brown has been working out at Oklahoma City.

Lew Cutler, manager of the Collison Athletic club of Oklahoma City, will arrive Wednesday morning to officiate as referee in the fight. Cutler is a well known authority in the ring and his services in the Wednesday night fight will meet with the approval of the Ada fans.

The preliminaries for the fight will start at 8:30 o'clock at the Convention Hall and will pave the way for the ten round fist between Brown and Cooper.

CONSOLIDATION PLAN
AID TO SCHOOL LIFE

FREDERICK, Jan. 8.—Every child of high school age in Tillman county may attend classes without having to travel long distances, according to Clay W. Kerr, county superintendent of schools, who announced that consolidation of district schools of the county is almost complete. The improvement in high school attendance is apparent in the comparison of the percentage figures in Tillman county and the average for the United States, Mr. Kerr said. While 9 percent of the total number of persons of school age in the country are in high schools, 21 percent of Tillman's total number of pupils are enrolled in high school classes.

Nine consolidated schools in this county have busses which gather the children in the morning, take them to school and convey them home in the afternoon. Good roads make possible the operation of the busses the year round. There is one union graded and 51 district schools in Tillman county. Three of the district schools and one consolidated school are independent. The school enrollment is approximately 3,200 and more than one-fifth of these are in high school classes.

The busses accommodate about 40 pupils each. They start collecting their passengers two hours before school opens and by the time the first class is called the children from the rural districts are in their seats. The home-ward journey starts about one-half hour after school is dismissed in the afternoon, and by supporting all of the students are in their homes. The busses practically have eliminated the wide-spread absence in inclement weather, which had such a demoralizing effect on school work a few years ago, Mr. Kerr said.

TULSA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CLAIMS MEMBERSHIP PEAK

TULSA, Jan. 8.—The First Presbyterian church of this city, has the largest Sunday school in the state with an enrollment of 2,200 and an average of 1,500 members in attendance every Sunday, according to H. C. Wiley, state director of religious education.

The First Presbyterian church of Oklahoma City has the second largest school, Wiley has reported.

The adult class of the Tulsa church has the largest enrollment, 630. The men's brotherhood class has 146 members. The collections for Sunday average \$100, Wiley said.

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SocietyMRS. BYRON NORRELL Editor
Phone 282 between 10 a. m. and 12 o'clock

W. C. T. U. Meeting

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. James Boud at her home, 200 West Fifteenth street, Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. All interested are invited to attend.

Norman-Beam

Mr. Louis Norman and Miss Delia Bean were united in marriage Monday evening at 7:30, Rev. B. F. Stegall performing the ceremony. The wedding took place at Mr. Stegall's home, 410 West 10th street.

Both of the young people are residents of Ada and they will continue to make their home here.

MR. AND MRS. WIESNER ENTERTAIN FOR PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wiesner, 716 East Twelfth street, entertained with a six o'clock dinner Monday evening complimentary to Mr. Wiesner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Wiesner of New Castle, Indiana where plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. E. Verlrees, Misses Susie McCormick, Ora Ewing, Estelle Ewing and the honor guests.

P. T. A. of Willard School

The Parent Teachers Association of the Willard School met January 4, having a splendid program. A song was sung by the Primary room. A written theme on "Value of Public School Music Instruction" by Bill Roberts. A piano solo by Elizabeth Logsdon, a reading by Cleo Campbell and a very interesting talk by Mr. Nelson of the Teachers College on "Child Ideas". Also an impromptu speech by Supt. J. E. Hickman.

The third and fifth grades received the books.

Reporter

MRS. JIM FAUNTLEROY HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. John Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ross entertained the Shaw's force in the Ross home East Tenth street Monday evening, honoring Mrs. Jim Fauntleroy who is leaving this week to join her husband at Prairie, Okla. The evening of games and music and delicious refreshments was enjoyed by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Lee Huber, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burris, Madames Fauntleroy, Robertson, Wood, Settles, Smith, Nance, Miss McCormick, Stapp and J. E. Hale, John Smith.

The entire morning was spent in presenting the case to the jury, which went out for a verdict at noon today.

Two other cases were scheduled to be heard today.

JACKSON DAY BANQUET PLAN FOR DEMOCRATS

(By the Associated Press)

PAWHUSKA, Jan. 8.—More than \$1,000,000 is being spent here in a paving project that was started in early spring last year, according to a report just made public.

More than 200 city blocks of paved streets is the goal, and the work probably will be completed

in the next month, the contractors announced.

The program of paving, outlined privately together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain'sough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, "flu" and whooping cough,

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The coming of the New Year brings many good things and this January Sale is one of the first and one of the very nicest things that it will bring to you. Our entire Dress stock of Fall and Winter modes unrestricted in this great price reduction sale.



Thirty-seven Fall and Winter Silk and Cloth DRESSES



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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY.

ASCRIBE YE GREATNESS unto our God. He is the Rock, his work is perfect; for all his ways are judgment; a God of truth and without iniquity, just and right is he.—Deu. 32:3.

JACKSON DAY.

January 8, is an anniversary dear to the American people for it was on that day in 1815 that an undisciplined army of frontiersmen under the command of Andrew Jackson won one of the greatest victories in the history of this nation over a force of the best trained soldiers Great Britain could put in the field. The British outnumbered the Americans two to one but the Americans were fighting for their homes and with the training they had gone through from early childhood these backwoodsmen were at home in a fight, as the British found after 2,600 of their soldiers had fallen.

It developed that a peace treaty had been signed two weeks before the battle, but it was several weeks more before the news reached this country. However, had the British won they would have had time to do great damage before the news of peace reached them.

The victory was all the more dear to the Americans because it was the only outstanding achievement on land during the entire war.

Led by officers for the most part incompetent and hampered by enemies at home and bickering of politicians, the American army had made the poorest showing it ever made in a war. Jackson's victory aroused intense enthusiasm as it tended to blot out the memory of the numerous humiliating defeats. It proved that a real general had at last appeared, but it was too late to do anything more to redeem the record made by other leaders.

However, the nation did not forget Jackson. At once he was boomed for the presidency, but not being inclined to capitalize his laurels, it was not until nine years later that he consented to have his name considered. He had already demonstrated that he did not rely on his military genius alone for his reputation. He was recognized as a man of sterling honesty and inflexible purpose. Once in the White House his battles were many and fierce. He was known as the best loved and most hated man who ever occupied the presidential chair, but he never wavered.

Jackson's career was one of the turning points of the Democratic party. Under his leadership its policies and principles took definite shape and to this good day the most eminent leaders of the party have been proud to be termed Jacksonian Democrats. It is indeed fitting that the party celebrate this date every year, for Jackson's virtues so greatly outweighed his faults that he will always stand as a monument to integrity and sturdy American manhood.

It is all very well for philanthropists to establish and endow great universities, but it occurs to us that some of these men could do greater good with their money by providing more funds for aiding weak rural schools. The country is fairly well supplied with institutions of higher learning but the children in the rural communities are not getting a fair chance for an education. If a millionaire or group of millionaires wishing to do lasting good for the people would create a large trust fund with the proviso that the income from it should be used to aid weak rural schools it is hard to estimate the good that could be accomplished. After the close of the Civil war when the South was impoverished and no southern state had a system of public schools, George Peabody gave a fund of \$2,000,000 or more for the purpose of helping the prostrate states establish public schools. Aid was given where ever it was needed most and in a few years every state was able to maintain a system of its own although even to this day the rural schools are not able to meet the needs of their communities. Peabody set an example that could be followed to great advantage by other men of his type. Think how much good could be done in Pontotoc county with even an additional \$10,000 annually.

If the Canadian bridge north of Ada is completed by March 1, as a report from the contractor indicates is possible, it will be a fine beginning for a year of achievement for Ada. Ada citizens took a liberal amount of stock to make the bridge possible and there is no doubt about its being the means of diverting a large amount of travel this way. The Canadian river has always been a barrier to communication north and south and with this barrier surmounted the public will make the most of the advantage thus obtained. Of course it would be better if the bridge was the properties of the two counties and free, but a toll bridge is a great advance over no bridge. Thanks to the bungling of the state highway department some years ago the two counties and Francis township sank several thousands of dollars in two concrete crossings which of course washed out in short order. Since then communication north and south of the river has been difficult and uncertain.

And again a man who claims to know asserts that laziness is a disease. Nothing new about that but, an empty stomach is a pretty good remedy which drives the disease out of a fellow.



made the principal address at the January 3 meeting of the Bernard Gill post at Shawnee. New officers were installed and a smoker was held.

The state commander will speak at the January 8 meeting of the Chandler post, when new officers will be installed. A smoker will be held. William Cordell, state adjutant, will accompany Commander Fowler to Chandler.

With \$2,000 in the treasury to be applied on a legion club house the Rollie McCartney post at Pawhuska is almost certain to have a new home before the end of 1924. The post now is in the midst of a membership drive.

The Methodist church at Mounds which was purchased by the William Sprague post is being fitted up as a home for the American Legion members. The building cost \$2,500. Mounds is a town of 1,000.

FRENCH AVIATOR STUDYING WEST INDIA AIR CURRENTS

Basse-Terre, Guadeloupe, F. W. I.—Sadi-Lecointe, the French aviator, has been making Basse-Terre his headquarters recently for a series of flights over the island. On one occasion he flew to the Island of Martinique, returning after a stay of two days.

The aviator is believed to be on a mission from the French government to study air currents and airplane possibilities in the West Indies.

DANES GUARD GERMAN BORDER.—Germans today are leaving the fatherland in such numbers that the Danish government has reinforced its guards along the German-Danish border to prevent the passage of individuals whose papers are not in order.

Special instructions also have been issued in the matter of smuggling. There is a brisk illicit trade in meats, fish, canned milk, cheese, and other staples into Germany.

"BURN 'EM UP" BARNES BOASTS ALL-STAR CAST

A cast that can well be termed an all star one, without the employment of one iota of exaggeration, will be seen when "Burn 'Em up Barnes," Johnny (Torchy) Hines' first feature length starring vehicle, is shown at the American Theatre today.

Johnny Hines needs no introduction to the theatregoers of the country. His initial screen appearance was made over six years ago with the World Film Corporation under the direction of Maurice Tourneur. For the past two years he has been seen in the title role of the now famous Torchy Comedies.

In "Burn 'Em Up Barnes," which was made during Johnny's "vacation," he has the title role. Playing opposite him is Betty Carpenter, remembered for her work with Constance Binney and Alice Brady and in the Sunshine Comedies. Next comes that well known stage star, Edmond Breese, and also there is that most amusing of all character actors, George Fawcett. J. Barney Sherry plays the role of Barnes' father, and Julia Swayne Gordon plays the role of his mother. Others in the cast include Mathew Betts, Dorothy Leeds, Harry Fraser and Richard Thorpe. George Beranger, for six years with the Griffith forces, directed. Ralph Spence, the author of the sparkling subtitles in the William Fox production of Mark Twain's "Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," has provided the subtitles for "Burn 'Em Up Barnes," which rival in sprightly humor and timeliness anything that author has done heretofore.

CHARCOAL GAS RUNS CAR

BERLIN.—Gas generated from charcoal is being used instead of gas generated from benzine on Berlin motorbuses. Experiments have been conducted for a year with charcoal-burners, and they have been found economical and otherwise successful.

Sunbeam School, Cleveland, where 156 crippled children are instructed, is now housed in a new one-story building which cost \$470,000. This school cares for crippled children until their physical condition permits them to take their proper places in the regular school. School busses transport the children to and from school without charge and free lunches are supplied at the school. The cost per pupil of the care and instruction provided for these child-

ren is nearly six times the cost of the instruction provided for normal children. Much of this money is paid by the State.

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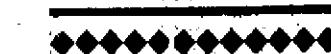
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WANTED—Ford touring or roadster body—Ada Service and Filling station. 1-8-51*

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA, In the matter of R. F. Blankenship, bankrupt No. 3611.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustee will offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash the accounts belonging to said bankrupt, in the sum of \$957.42. List of said accounts may be inspected at my office, 204 West Main street, Ada, Oklahoma. Sale will be held at the Hynds Grocery Co., Ada, Oklahoma, at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, January 19, 1924. Sale subject to confirmation by Reference in Bankruptcy.

J. C. HYNDS, Trustee.
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GLORIA SWANSON IN "ZAZA" IS A NIÑO

While the thermometer in New York was breaking heat records of thirty years' standing, Gloria Swanson set a record for sustained emotionalism in a scene for "Zaza" during the filming of that superb production at the Paramount Long Island studio. Miss Swanson remained in tears constantly during five hours for one of the most dramatic scenes in the picture. So far as is known she established a record for sustained emotion that has never been equalled by any screen star.

Miss Swanson's remarkable work was done in Zaza's love nest when Zaza learns that her sweetheart, Dufrane, has a wife and that he

is leaving France for America. She runs the gamut of emotions in the scene, passing rapidly from hate to frenzy, mockery to jealousy and then to bitter contrition.

Tears roll from Miss Swanson's eyes throughout the sequence. When the electricians were changing the lights for new photographic angles of the action, she sat in a corner and cried softly for herself, keeping in character from the time Director Dwan started the scene until he finished it four hours later, without a break except for necessary technical delays.

"She is the most remarkable actress I ever saw on stage or screen," declared Mr. Dwan. "Her work in this picture has been amazing. She spaces perfectly and there seems to be no limit to the

depths of her emotion." "Zaza" is now showing at the McSwain theatre.

Ada Produce Market (Furnished by Ada Hide and Produce Market.)

Hens, per lb.	12c
Fryers, per lb.	14c
No. 1 turkeys, per lb.	15c
No. 2 turkeys, per lb.	10c
Old tom turkeys, per lb.	11c
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Geese, per lb.	8c
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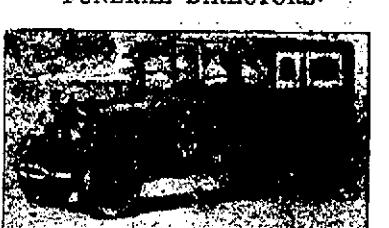
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BILL PAYS

By MARY MORGAN WARE

"SHADES of Cleopatra!" Maribel apostrophized herself in the mirror. "They say you look like Great Aunt Myra. An insult to auntie, say I." She rested her elbows on the dresser, her chin cupped in her hands, and studied her features. She admitted that her features were like auntie's.

Visioning Aunt Myra's portrait, Maribel shook out her hair, and soon had an elaborate coiffure of ye olden times. They were right; she did look like auntie.

Gazing around the littered room, her eye caught a discarded rose-colored frock. She seized it, and slipped it on. The transformation was amazing.

"Maribel Mason," she continued the monologue, "I didn't suppose you had it in you. No wonder you haven't had a chance. Perhaps it isn't too late."

Maribel had just assisted at an elaborate wedding, with its litter of rice, confetti and old shoes. She had even helped with the tying of endless yards of white satin ribbon.

Maribel had been bridesmaid to her schoolmates, and now she was just a handmaid servant and stop-gap for the younger set.

She was tired of it. Tired of hearing: "Oh, let Maribel do it. She won't mind." Her tired, rather bored expression covered a volcano of emotion all ready to erupt. She wondered rebelliously how it would seem to be the central figure of any kind of a celebration, even a birthday party.

Maribel removed the rose frock, folded it carefully, and put it into her traveling bag. Then she restored her hair to its former ugly fashion.

She had always said that clothes had nothing to do with one's looks. Now she was fully convinced that while fine feathers may not make fine birds, they certainly have considerable value to making fine looking birds.

Maribel finished packing her traveling bag. She had forgotten that she was tired.

She announced at the tea table that she was going on a vacation. With an exaggerated air of unconcern she helped herself to cukes. Her decision was so sudden that it quite took Brother Tom and his wife by storm. Maribel was not in the habit of making unexpected moves.

"You will be home in time to help at Bessie Alden's birthday party, I suppose," inquired Laura. Laura was Brother Tom's wife.

"No," answered Maribel shortly. "I am not going to celebrate any more weddings, or birthdays, unless they are my own."

Tom and Laura were no more astonished at Maribel's crisp reply than she herself was. However, she was resolved to live up to it.

When Maribel arrived in the city she lost no time in finding a good boarding house. Then she went on a shopping expedition; one purchase was an expensive-looking near-diamond ring, which she slipped on her engagement finger.

Time sped swiftly while she was getting used to this new side of herself, and two weeks passed before she wrote to Laura, giving her address. After that she wrote only brief notes, far apart, containing vague references to Bill, who was giving her such a good time. One letter contained this paragraph:

"I never before realized what a wonderful fellow Bill is. He will give me anything I want, take me anywhere I wish to go, and he patiently awaits all my whims. I certainly shall give him an awful trial."

Maribel had a wonderful vacation and made a lot of new friends. But after several weeks a longing for home could not be wholly suppressed.

She received a letter from Laura asking when she was coming back. She packed her trunk and turned her steps homeward.

Maribel well knew that the home circle was due for a shock. She was marcelled, massaged and befrilled, and looked at least ten years younger than when she went away. She had renewed her mind as well as her wardrobe, and looked on life from a new point of view.

The taxi drew up to the curb. There was no one in sight, but it seemed to Maribel that the house wore a festive air. She let herself in quietly, only to find herself in the midst of a dance party.

"Hello, folks," cried Maribel, merrily. "Are you gathered together in honor of me? How did you know the profiteer was returning?"

There was a medley of voices.

"Sure! Look! Listen! The profligate has returned!"

Dolly Bolton pawed on Maribel, raising her left hand to the gaze of the party.

"Oh, look! She's got an engagement ring," shrieked Dolly.

Maribel blushed furiously, and looked very guilty as she let the statement pass undisputed. She withdrew her hand, and to cover her embarrassment began to smooth and fold the billie she had held since paying for the taxi.

"Who gave you the ring, Maribel?"

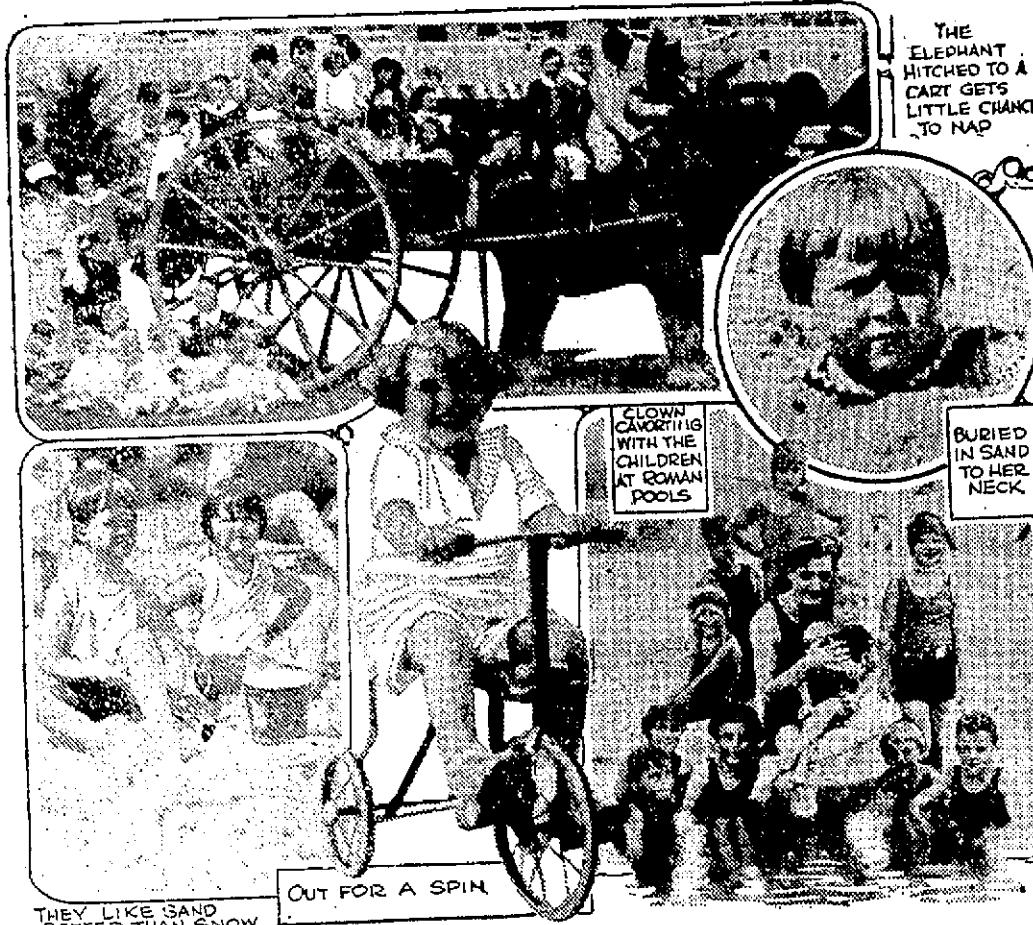
"Dolly," demanded Dolly. "Is it anyone I know?"

"Yes, Bill," murmured Maribel.

"Bill," rejoined Dolly. "Bill who? And I suppose he gave you the necklace, and the wrist watch?"

"Yes," said Maribel reluctantly. She slipped the bills ostentatiously, and put them in her handbag. "Yes," she said, more decisively, "yes, Bill gave them to me."

Diphtheria death rate of last year among the insured wage-earners was the lowest in the past 11 years.

Miami The Children's Paradise for Outdoor Sports

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INDIAN CLUB AT UNIVERSITY NOW

Oklahoma Institution Plans Permanent Organization for First Pioneers.

NORMAN, Jan. — Special. — To write a history of the club on a deer skin is one of the year's plans of the University of Oklahoma Indian club.

The constitution and something of the history of the organization will appear on a skin to be kept as a memento by the club.

One hundred members representing all the Five Civilized Tribes and most of the so-called wild tribes of Oklahoma, constitute the general Indian club.

The Midewewin, a smaller group of 17 members, is learning to sing and dance according to the old traditional manner of their ancestors.

To the Indian, Midewewin holds something of the same significance that the Masonic lodge has to the white person.

It is an Algonquin name for a medicine lodge. The medicine lodge is an organization of doctors and of medicine men, those who treat the spirit as well as the body. "Oklushe Degatego," (the tribes standing together), is the full Indian name for the club. The name was chosen when the club was first organized in February, 1914. When the names were suggested, most of them were Choctaw. Since there were more Cherokees than there were Choctaws, the Cherokee name "De-ga-le-ga" was finally adopted when it was submitted. De-ga-le-ga is the name which was given Chero Stand Waite. Its literal meaning is "standing together."

Seeing the disappointment among the Choctaws and Chickasaws, one Cherokee suggested that the Cherokee word okluse, meaning "the tribes" be inserted. This was approved.

"The Remittance Woman"
Seekers of thrills are promised a rare treat when they see Ethel Clayton in "The Remittance Woman," an F. B. O. photoplay which comes to the American theater on Wednesday. The backgrounds of the story, which was originally written by Ahmed Abdullah for Everybody's Magazine, are laid among the society folk of San Francisco and the mysterious temples of warlike tongs in Canton, China.

Miss Clayton is seen as a fast-stepping society girl who is sent to China on a remittance by her pirate father. In Canton, as the possessor of a vase which has reputed powers to give the owner power to rule the Nation, the girl is the prey of countless contending factions, and is led through a series of adventures that are guaranteed to send shivers down the spines of even the most case-hardened fans.

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